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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

For new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Title EL DEVICE

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 601 concerning utility patent application contents

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7. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
8. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
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15. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27
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## 16. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:

- ☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of International Appl. No. PCT/JP00/02231,  
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